

No Boundaries Transportation Maintenance Innovations Transportation Maintenance Innovations Technical Advisory Committee Meeting

Meeting Agenda

May 7-9, 2024 | Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Also via webinar (link forthcoming)

All times are Central

Tuesday, May 7 – State Library of Louisiana–Serials Room | 701 N. 4th Street | Baton Rouge, LA

Peer Exchange		
8:00	Meet in the hotel lobby for pick up by two 12-passenger vans, driven by LA DOTD staff. Drive to the State Library of Louisiana. Steven Sibley will meet the group at the State Library front desk for check in.	
8:30 to 9:00	Call to Order, Todd May, Indiana DOT	
	Louisiana DOTD Welcome – Kevin Reed, Chief Maintenance Engineer	
	Meeting Goals, Kirsten Seeber, CTC & Associates	
	Introductions, All	
9:00 to 9:30	Encouraging a culture of innovation – Todd May, Indiana DOT	
9:30 to 10:30	Round Table 1: Reduced idling to prevent battery drain	
10:30 to 10:45	Break	
10:45 to 11:45	 Member Presentations: Agency background, current best practices, challenges Bill Gombotz, CT DOT – Trade Initiative Chad Folmer, OH DOT – ODOT Equipment Trade Program Kent Clements, Texas DOT – Regional Maintenance Crews 	
11:45 to 12:30pm	Round Table 2: Innovation Show-and-Tell (Part 1)	
12:45	Drive to lunch	
1:00 to 2:00	Lunch at Pastime Restaurant – 252 South Blvd., Baton Rouge	
2:00 to 2:15	Drive to LSU Center for River Studies	
2:30 to 3:30	LSU Center for River Studies — 100 Terrace St., Baton Rouge	
3:30	Drive to Hilton Baton Rouge Capitol Center – 201 Lafayette St, Baton Rouge	
3:45	Continuation of best practices discussions and Q-and-A on your own	



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Wednesday, May 8 – State Library of Louisiana–Serials Room | 701 N. 4th Street | Baton Rouge, LA

Technical Site Visits	
8:30	Meet in the hotel lobby for pick up by two 12-passenger vans, driven by LA DOTD staff.
8:30 to 11:30	Bridge LA 964 @ Riddle Creek – Lat/long coordinates are 30.722321, -91.305448
	Nearest address: Feliciana Federal Credit Union, 2552 LA-964, St. Francisville
	• This tour will feature a bridge replacement being done by LA DOTD Maintenance staff.
	Hard hats and vests will be provided. Please wear closed toed shoes.
11:30 to 12:15pm	LA DOTD Innovations – 1212 E. Highway Dr., Baton Rouge
12:15 to 12:30	Drive to State Library of Louisiana
12:30 to 1:30	Lunch—best practices discussion and Q-and-A
Business Meeting	
1:30 to 2:30	Syntheses
	Administration
	Budget
	Year Four Activities
	Future Meetings
Peer Exchange	
2:30 to 3:45	Round Table 3: Alternative uses of right-of-way for solar/wind/pollinators - curbside and vegetation maintenance; Maintenance around high-tension guardrail
3:45 to 4:15	National Activities
4:15	Meeting adjourned



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Thursday, May 9 – State Library of Louisiana–Serials Room | 701 N. 4th Street | Baton Rouge, LA

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8:00	Meet in the hotel lobby for pick up by two 12-passenger vans, driven by LA DOTD staff.
8:30 to 9:00	Member Presentation – Steven Sibley, Louisiana DOTD
9:00 to 9:45	Round Table 4: Innovation Show-and-Tell (Part 2)
9:45 to 10:15	Phase IV Planning
10:15 to 10:30	Break
10:30 to 11:00	Meeting Report-out Discussion – Menti poll
11:00 to 11:30	Other Business and Closing Thoughts
11:30	Adjourn meeting and head to airport